

## Message Text

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ACTION OES-06

INFO OCT-01 AF-08 ISO-00 DLOS-06 SAL-01 CG-00 DOTE-00 L-03  
EB-08 COME-00 CIAE-00 INR-07 NSAE-00 /040 W  
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R 011343Z MAR 77  
FM AMEMBASSY LAGOS  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9594

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E. O. 11652: NA  
TAGS: EFIS, PFOR, PLOS  
SUBJ: FISHING OFF U.S. COAST

REF : STATE 40131

POLCOUNS INFORMED MEA (ECONOMIC AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION  
DEPARTMENTS) FEBRUARY 28 THAT LEGISLATION ESTABLISHING 200  
MILE FISHING ZONE OFF U.S. COAST WOULD TAKE EFFECT MARCH 1.  
USG INTENDED ENFORCE ITS JURISDICTION. OFFICIALS WERE REMIN-  
DED THAT IN ABSENCE FISHERIES AGREEMENT WITH NIGERIA, NIGERIAN  
FLAG VESSELS WOULD NOT BE PERMITTED FISH WITHIN THE 200 MILE  
ZONE. ASKED WHAT FMG EXPECTED TO DO, POLCOUNS SUGGESTED THAT  
MEA MIGHT INFORM APPROPRIATE FMG AGENCIES AND REQUEST THEM TO  
NOTIFY NIGERIAN FLAG VESSELS OF NEW REGULATIONS.  
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## Message Attributes

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